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**Sent:** 6/6/2019 5:59:34 PM  
**To:** David San Miguel [DavidSanMiguel@sprouts.com]  
**CC:** Villasenor, Andre [Villasenor.Andre@epa.gov]; Justin Kacer [justinkacer@sprouts.com]; Diego Romero [DiegoRomero@sprouts.com]; Carlos Rojas [carlosrojas@sprouts.com]  
**Subject:** Re: Food Recovery Challenge award event opportunity at Sprouts #256 in Tustin, CA on June 5th.

Thx David. It was my pleasure. If you could have your folks email the pictures that would be very much appreciated. Keep up the good work.

Michael Stoker  
EPA Regional Administrator-Region 9  
Cell [Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)]

On Jun 6, 2019, at 10:55 AM, David San Miguel <[DavidSanMiguel@sprouts.com](mailto:DavidSanMiguel@sprouts.com)> wrote:

Good morning Michael,

It was a pleasure meeting you yesterday and I know everyone appreciated your presence in your presentation of Food Recovery Challenge award to 256 Tustin Jamboree. It is great to work for a company committed to finding innovative ways to divert waste to the land fills and we appreciate your support. Enjoy the attached power point and below pictures!

Best Regards, David

David San Miguel OC Regional Director

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From: David San Miguel  
Sent: Thursday, June 6, 2019 10:47 AM  
To: Diego Romero; Carlos Rojas; Justin Kacer; Store 256 Manager; Mac Long; Raymond Zepeda; Jim Wallace  
Cc: James Specht; Mario Covarrubias; Mike Glendenning; Robert Morris; Gary Dolman; Alex Cervantes; Cynthia Chikahisa

Subject: Re: Food Recovery Challenge award event opportunity at Sprouts #256 in Tustin, CA on June 5th.

Good morning Jim, Carlos, Diego, Justin, Cindy,

Yesterday 256 Tustin Jamboree was presented with EPA 2018 Sustainability National Grocer's Award by EPA representative. Come to find out 256 Tustin Jamboree was the top Grocer in the nation to Food Recovery Challenge. Attached is PP for details.

Great job to Ray-Mac -Sharon-Wramon, Gustavo and 256 Team!

Thank you David

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From: Diego Romero

Sent: Tuesday, May 28, 2019 11:37 AM

To: David San Miguel; Carlos Rojas; Justin Kacer; Store 256 Manager; Mac Long; Raymond Zepeda

Subject: RE: Food Recovery Challenge award event opportunity at Sprouts #256 in Tustin, CA on June 5th.

Hi all – below are updates for next Wednesday's EPA award presentation. Please let me know if you have any questions.

- \* Date and Time? June 5 from 4:30-5:00 PM
- \* Where will the event take place? Produce section
- \* Who can take photos of the event to share with EPA so we can post on social media?  
Someone from the store team can help with this.
- \* What are the names of the persons that Mike will present the award to? Mac Long, store manager; Raymond Zepeda, store manager; and David San Miguel, OC Regional Director
- \* How many people are expected? We are not promoting this externally but you can expect normal customer traffic. The EPA is also sending out a local news release so there is a chance a reporter may come.
- \* Who will meet Mike at the store entrance to escort him to the location of the event? The group above can meet Mike inside at the front of the store near the registers.
- \* After the EPA presents Sprouts with the award, can the Sprouts folks show him the food donation and/or the food scraps going to compost? Yes

From: David San Miguel <[DavidSanMiguel@sprouts.com](mailto:DavidSanMiguel@sprouts.com)>

Sent: Tuesday, May 14, 2019 9:53 PM

To: Carlos Rojas <[carlosrojas@sprouts.com](mailto:carlosrojas@sprouts.com)>; Justin Kacer <[justinkacer@sprouts.com](mailto:justinkacer@sprouts.com)>; Store 256 Manager <[st256manager@sprouts.com](mailto:st256manager@sprouts.com)>; Mac Long <[50020956@sprouts.com](mailto:50020956@sprouts.com)>; Raymond Zepeda <[RaymondZepeda@sprouts.com](mailto:RaymondZepeda@sprouts.com)>

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Ditto, Congratulations Team 256.

Mac and Ray can you both be at store on date below for presentation of award? I would like to be there for support as well.

Thanks David

David San Miguel OC Regional Director

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From: Carlos Rojas  
Sent: Tuesday, May 14, 2019 8:50 PM  
To: Justin Kacer  
Cc: Diego Romero; David San Miguel; Store 256 Manager  
Subject: Re: Food Recovery Challenge award event opportunity at Sprouts #256 in Tustin, CA on June 5th.

Great stuff! Congratulations Store #256!

Carlos Rojas

VP - Sustainability

Sent from my iPhone

On May 14, 2019, at 10:52 AM, Justin Kacer  
<[justinkacer@sprouts.com](mailto:justinkacer@sprouts.com)<<mailto:justinkacer@sprouts.com>>> wrote:

Sounds great! I'll send over the intro email shortly.

Thanks,

Justin

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Hi Justin,

This is great news! I'm happy to help coordinate any store event details with the store manager, talking points and media outreach. I can also keep the internal team apprised of details for an Inside Scoop highlight. Feel free to make an introduction between Andre and I to keep things moving.

Thanks,

Diego

From: Justin Kacer  
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Team,

The EPA would like to congratulate st256 for they're food recovery efforts. Please see email below. Communications team can you advise on who would take the lead on this and advise on next steps. May be a good opportunity to highlight their recognition in the Scoop as well.

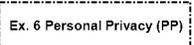
Thank you,

Justin Kacer | Sustainability Manager

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Sent: Tuesday, May 14, 2019 9:39 AM  
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Hi Justin,

Our Regional Administrator would like to present Sprouts #256 in Tustin with their national FRC award<[Please let me know if this works for that store, then provide me with the appropriate contact info so we can coordinate logistics with them.](https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A_www.epa.gov_sustainable-2Dmanagement-2Dfood_about-2D2018-2Dfood-2Drecovery-2Dchallenge-2Dnational-2Daward-2Dwinners-23sprouts&d=DwMFAg&c=2FnNEpAkGQTaTUBTHfs6CgGcYmfoqhFl0EAPCuwlE1o&r=vX32xJTGI0oba0fYpk8mQdxPXwoCx2Gip41N47SH1wE&m=rLMdr9FOhFURpN3elxBLzoiUJWtQdqOhneeIx8ovBNg&s=hHa_xt-pqJgBczDMliQYET22UQT5vesjVi5HsoCIX_A&e=> on June 5th at about 4:30 pm. It will take 30 minutes or less, and will include the RA's congratulatory words, a photo-op, and a short tour of the store's food recovery efforts.</p></div><div data-bbox=)

Thanks,

Andre Villasenor

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